

FORT CAMPBELL SUBMITS HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT RENEWAL PERMIT APPLICATION

Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) announces receipt of Part A and Part B hazardous waste management permit applications from Fort Campbell. This facility (EPA ID Number TN5210020140) is located in Montgomery and Stewart counties with a mailing address of Bldg. 865 16th Street & Bastogne Avenue, Fort Campbell, KY 42223. The application is for renewal of its corrective action permit, TNHW-130. The applications were submitted on August 24, 2016. A Pre-Application Meeting was conducted by the facility on July 20, 2016, as required by Tennessee Rule 0400-12-01-.07(1)(m). No public comments were received at this meeting.

Fort Campbell is an Army installation and is organized as a combined headquarters of division (tactical, staff) elements and post (management support) elements. Approximately 30,000 military and civilian personnel and 4,000 Army Reserve personnel further the mission of Fort Campbell, to support and train the 101st Airborne Division, the 5th Special Forces Group and other associated units located on the installation in preparation for a variety of assigned combat and combat-related missions. A secondary mission includes providing medical and dental care for active duty military, their family members, and retired military personnel. An additional mission is to train noncommissioned officers in the fundamentals of leadership.

When Fort Campbell closed its permitted hazardous waste storage area on October 21, 1999, the corrective action portion of the permit was left in place. Fort Campbell was issued the current corrective action hazardous waste permit on September 29, 2006, and it was effective for ten (10) years. Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Regulations (Regulations) require that the facility submit the permit renewal application at least 180 days before the current permit expires. The Part A and B applications were submitted on August 24, 2016, so Fort Campbell will be allowed to continue to operate under the current permit until another permit is issued or denied. They will continue to perform corrective action activities at Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs) and Areas of Concern (AOCs) under the current permit (TNHW-130) until the new permit is issued.

The application includes status updates on all SWMUs and AOCs at the facility, including any previous or ongoing investigations or corrective actions for any releases of hazardous waste or hazardous constituents. The facility agrees that any future and existing SWMUs or AOCs be evaluated for potential releases and remediation, as necessary.

As set forth in the Regulations, a complete permit application, consisting of a Part A and a Part B, must include certain text, drawings and other information adequate to demonstrate that the facility will comply with the various technical and administrative standards applicable to such a facility. Evaluation of the application involves an in-depth review of the application materials by DSWM staff and subsequent correspondence between DSWM and the facility identifying and correcting any deficiencies in the submitted information. Once it determines the application is complete, DSWM will make a tentative decision to either grant or deny the permit and issue either a draft permit or a notice of intent to deny the permit. Public Notice will be given of this tentative decision, and the public will have at least 45 days to submit written comments on the draft permit/proposed action. A public hearing, if requested, may also be held to receive public comments within the public comment period. After considering the public comments received and making any appropriate revisions, the DSWM Director will issue a final permit decision to either issue or deny the permit. A Response to Comments will be issued at that time.

Electronic copies of the application are available online. Visit <http://go.usa.gov/xKtPt> to access the facility information in the Solid Waste Management Dataviewer. Paper copies are available for review at the Clarksville Public Library, Montgomery County Veteran's Plaza, 350 Pageant Lane, Suite 501, Clarksville, TN 37040 (931-648-8826); the TDEC Nashville Environmental Field Office, 711 R.S. Gass Blvd, Nashville, TN, 37216 (615-687-7000); and the DSWM Central Office, TN Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Ave, 14th Floor, Nashville, TN 37243 (615-532-0780).

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